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Case No. 10690/011

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In re Application of:

Edward Ludovicus Koper, et al.

Serial No.: 10/549,769

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RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

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Dear Sir:

In accordance with the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) dated April 27, 2006, a copy of which is attached, enclosed herewith for filing are the following documents:

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\boxtimes	-	Fully executed Declaration for Patent Application and Power of Attorney for the above-referenced patent application.						
Applicant:								
		claims small entity status. See 37 CFR1.27.						
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\boxtimes	Fees totaling \$250.00 for:						
		Filing Fee of \$					
	\boxtimes	Surcharge of \$ <u>130.00</u> .					
		Additional Claim Fees of \$					
		Search Fee of \$					
Examination Fee of \$							
	\boxtimes Extension of Time Fee of \$120.00.						
	sheets,	Application Size Fee (for each additional 50 sheets that exceeds 100 including specification and drawings) of \$					
\boxtimes	Petition for Extension of Time (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)) to file missing parts.						
	Other:						
\boxtimes	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the above fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1925 in accordance with the attached Transmittal Sheet.						
Dated:	_3	Respectfully submitted, W 25, 2016 Awrence A. Steward Registration No. 32,309 Attorney for Applicant(s)					

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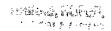
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The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 09/09/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 09/09/2005
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 09/09/2005
- Copy of Annexes to the IPER filed on 09/09/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 09/09/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 12/23/2005
- Oath or Declaration filed on 09/09/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 09/09/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 09/09/2005





The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
 - is not executed in accordance with either 37 CFR 1.66 or 37 CFR 1.68.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

• \$130 Surcharge.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the response.

KAREN M WILLIAMS

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